

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**ABSTRACT**

Social Welfare Department –Appeal petition filed by Sri T. Siva Raju, S/o Ganga Rao, R/o. Visakhapatnam District, against the proceedings (M) R. Dis. No. 317/2000/C5, dated: 27-08-2008 of the District Collector, Visakhapatnam – under section 7 (2) of the Andhra Pradesh (Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes) Regulation of Issue of Community Certificates Act, 1993 ( A.P Act No. 16/1993) - Appeal Petition rejected – Orders Issued.

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**SOCIAL WELFARE (CV-I) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Ms.No. 3

Dated: 21-01-2013  
Read the Following:

1. Proceedings No. (M) R. Dis. No. 317/2000/C5, dated: 27-08-2008 from the Collector, Visakhapatnam District.
2. Appeal petition dated: 24-12-2008 from Sri. T. Siva Raju, S/o. Ganga Rao working as Radio Mechanic in the Naval Dock Yard, Visakhapatnam filed before Hon'ble M (SW).
3. Govt. Memo. No. 12212/C.V-1/08-1, S.W.Dept., Dt: 10-2-2009
4. From the District Collector, Visakhapatnam Letter No (M) Rc.750/C5/2010, Dated: 03-04-10.
5. Govt. Memo. No. 12212/CV.1/2008, dated: 11.11.2010
6. From the District Collector, Visakhapatnam Letter No (M) Rc.750/C5/2010, Dated: 25.11.2011
7. From the District Collector, Visakhapatnam Letter No (M) Rc.750/C5/2010, Dated: 07.02.2012
8. Govt. Letter No. 12212/CV.1/2008, dated: 20.04.2012, 16.05.2012, 22.06.2012 & 10.07.2012
9. Govt. Memo. No. 12212/CV.1/2008, dated: 20.04.2012, 16.05.2012, 22.06.2012 & 10.07.2012

**ORDER:**

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the District Collector, Visakhapatnam has issued Proceedings canceling Scheduled Caste (Relli) Certificate of Sri T. Siva Raju, S/o Ganga Rao, R/o. Visakhapatnam.

2. In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, Sri T. Siva Raju, S/o Ganga Rao, has filed an appeal petition before the Government on 24.12.2008 against the Proceedings of the District Collector, Visakhapatnam. After examining the said Appeal Petition Government have admitted the appeal petition and requested the District Collector, Visakhapatnam to furnish parawise remarks and connected records on the said appeal petition vide reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above.

3. In the reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above, the District Collector, Visakhapatnam has furnished parawise remarks and connected records on the appeal petition filed by Sri T. Siva Raju.

4. The said Appeal Petition has been posted for hearing on 09.08.2010, 16.08.2010, 07.05.2012, 14.05.2012, 18.06.2012 & 02.07.2012 the same has been informed to the appellant and requested to attend the hearings with all documentary evidence/certificates in favour of his community claim. The Appellant has attended for the said hearings and explained his community status before the appellate authority.

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5. In the reference 5<sup>th</sup>, read above, the District Collector, Visakhapatnam was requested to re-enquire into caste status of the appellant duly covering the following points and duly returning the file bearing C.No. 317/2000/C5 containing page Nos.30 NF and page Nos. 244.

1. Petitioner's sister elementary school record indicate that she belong to SC-Relli, which is prior to his father's employment.
2. SC-Relli Caste Certificates of his grand father and maternal uncle.
3. The Administrative Officer, Naval Dockyard has stated that his father being an illiterate has not noticed the discrepancy in his name in GPF account.
4. He has also requested for a detailed enquiry at his father's workplace

6. In the reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above, the District Collector, Visakhapatnam has furnished his report duly covering the above said points.

7. In the reference 7<sup>th</sup> read above, the District Collector, Visakhapatnam has submitted connected records file bearing .No. 317/2000/C5 containing page Nos. 30 NF and page Nos. 244.

8. The said appeal petition was finally heard by the appellate authority on 06.08.2012 on the said date of hearing the appellant has submitted documents in support of his claim to the appellate authority.

9. Government, after careful examination of the proceedings dated: 27.08.2008 of the District Collector, Visakhapatnam, and material/documents available with the Government, it is observed that, the claim of Sri T. Siva Raju, S/o Ganga Rao, R/o. Vishakapatnam that he belongs to . "SC Relli" community, the contention of the Appellant that, his father has inadvertently filled "Palli" instead of "Relli" is not convincing. And also the appellant has not submitted any additional evidence like his school records or the certificates of his close relatives. Further, it is observed that the District Level Scrutiny Committee after examining the evidence produced by the Appellant Sri T. Siva Raju opined that he does not belong to SC "Relli" caste but he belongs to BC "Palli" caste. The District Level Scrutiny Committee also observed that the Appellant has obtained "Relli" caste certificate fraudulently from the Tahsildar, Vishakapatnam (Urban) by suppressing the facts. Further, it is observed that as seen from the records available in the file that the service rolls of the father of Appellant, the caste is not recorded as SC "Relli", and also observed that his mother, wife belongs to "Kapu" community, and the Appellant did not claim SC "Relli" status for his children.

10. Government after careful examination of the Appeal Petition and the facts stated supra and in exercise of the powers conferred u/s 7 (2) of Andhra Pradesh (Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes) Regulation of Issue of Community Certificates Act 1993 (Act No. 1993), decided that the appeal petition filed by Sri T. Siva Raju, does not deserve any interference in the Proceedings of the Visakhapatnam. Hence, the Proceedings of the District Collector, Visakhapatnam issued vide (M) R. Dis. No. 317/2000/C5, dated:27-08-2008 are upheld and the appeal of Sri T. Siva Raju, S/o Teppala Ganga Rao is hereby upheld and the Appeal Petition of Sri T. Siva Raju is hereby rejected.

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11. The District Collector, Visakhapatnam is directed to take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

12. The records furnished by the District Collector, Visakhapatnam vide 7<sup>th</sup> read above (C.No. 317/2000/C5 containing page Nos. 30 NF and page Nos. 244) are returned herewith and he is requested to acknowledge the receipt of the same at an early date.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**J.RAYMOND PETER  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
The District Collector,  
Visakhapatnam (w.e –Original records) ( **BY RPAD**)

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P.S to Minister (SW),  
P.S to Principal Secretary (SW)  
SF/SC.

**// Forwarded:: By Order //**

**SECTION OFFICER**